

NOV 23 2005

Docket No. R0045RE

Certificate of Mailing/Transmission (37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)):	
[ ] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.8, I hereby certify that this paper and all enclosures are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on the date indicated below in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
[ X ] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.6(d), I hereby certify that this paper and all enclosures are being sent via facsimile on the date indicated below to the attention of Examiner Michael H. Thaler at Facsimile No 571-273-8300.	
Dated: November 23, 2005	Name of Person Certifying: <u>Guy Cumberbatch</u> Printed Name: Guy Cumberbatch

5

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent of: Morse, et al.

) Group Art Unit: 3731

Patent No.: 5,984,937

) Examiner: Michael H. Thaler

10

Issued: November 16, 1999

Reissue Application No.: 10/001,416

15

Filed: November 15, 2001

For: ORBITAL SURGICAL CANNULA AND METHOD

20

Mail Stop Reissue  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

25

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

30

Responsive to the final Office Action dated August 23, 2005, and in conjunction with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination, please note the following remarks and enter the following changes.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

35